



Application Form for the 2002-2003 Fire Science Cadet Class

Instructions:

Please **print** all information requested on this application. The student, parent or guardian and guidance counselor must sign and date this application. Forward the completed application form to Montgomery County Public Schools, Division of Career, College and Technology Studies at the address listed on the reverse side.

Name: _____ High School: _____
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Student ID Number: _____ Current Grade: *Circle one* 11 12

Social Security Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____
_____ *Must be 16 years old by the start of class*

Street Address: _____

City State Zip

Home Telephone: _____ Cellular Phone: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Parent /Guardian's Name: _____

Parent's Work Phone: _____ (Father) _____ (Mother)

Have you ever applied to the Fire Science Program? *Circle one* Yes No

Will you need transportation to and from the Academy? *Circle one* Yes No


The Fire Science Program prepares students for possible careers in the area of fire and rescue services, including emergency medical services. Students enrolled in either course take mid-term and final examinations, which require a 70% attainment to remain in the class. **Failure to score 70% on the mid-term or final exam will result in dismissal from the program.** Class work requires reading, homework assignments and research papers. Attendance is also very critical. Any absence, either excused or unexcused, beyond 10% of the scheduled classes is carefully monitored and may lead to dismissal from the program. Practical training evolutions demand rigorous physical exertion, performing at extreme heights, functioning in confined spaces, and fighting fire under controlled conditions with direct supervision.

I understand that my son/daughter will be receiving the same type of training as both Montgomery County career and volunteer fire fighters. **I also understand that the risk of injury or burn is a possibility due to the nature of the training my son/daughter is about to receive.** My son/daughter has my permission to participate in this program including the station internship component. To the best of my knowledge, my son/daughter has no physical condition that would impair his/her performance in the Fire Science Program.

Student's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent's/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Guidance Counselor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Complete the reverse side 

After conferring with your counselor, select the appropriate course in which you plan to enroll during the 2001-2002 school year. Please check one of the appropriate boxes below. I want to enroll in the...

☐ *Essentials of Fire Fighting Course*

☐ *Emergency Medical Technician-Basic Course*

<i>Essentials of Fire Fighting</i>			
<i>Semester</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Code</i>	<i>Credits</i>
1	Essentials of Fire Fighting A	5423	1.0
	Essentials of Fire Fighting Internship A	5421	0.5
2	Advanced Fire and Rescue Techniques B** <input type="checkbox"/>	5424	1.0
	Advanced Fire and Rescue Techniques Internship B	5422	0.5

**Certificate of Merit

☐ 126 Student Service Learning Hours

<i>Emergency Medical Technician - Basic</i>			
<i>Semester</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Code</i>	<i>Credits</i>
1	Emergency Medical Technician/Basic	5453	0.5
	Emergency Medical Technician/Basic (Science)	3993	0.5
	Emergency Medical Technician/Basic Internship A	5458	0.5
2	Emergency Medical Technician/Basic Internship B*** <input type="checkbox"/>	5459	1.0
	Emergency Medical Technician/Basic Internship B (Science)	3994	0.5

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An internship program conducted and sponsored by a participating fire department or rescue squad is required in conjunction with each of the courses listed above. You will be encouraged to join as a volunteer member of either a fire station or rescue squad. Membership at your local fire station is an excellent way to enrich your experience in the Fire Science program.

Forward this application along with a *school transcript* and completed *work permit* to:

**Damascus High School
Technology Education Department
25921 Ridge Road
Damascus, Maryland 20872**

Attention: Robert P. Turnbull

Any questions should be addressed to Robert Turnbull at **301-253-7054** or e-mail to...

robert_turnbull@fc.mcps.k12.md.us.

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